

Appl. No. 10/699,388

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Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace paragraph [0039] with the following amended paragraph:

[0039] The lamp driver system can be adapted to operate with many different lamp systems. For example, various types of fluorescent lamps can be used, including tubular fluorescent lamps and flat fluorescent lamps. To fully facilitate the lamp driver system, multiple lamps are provided. The lamp driver system can then drive these multiple lamps selectively to provide for redundancy. The multiple lamps can comprise separate lamps of the same or different types. Additionally, the multiple lamps can comprise dual lamps. For example, they can comprise dual aperture lamps such as those described in the co-pending patent application "Redundant Aperture Lamp System", serial number 10/698,773, filed on October 31, 2003 and assigned to Honeywell International Inc. As another example, they can comprise dual flat lamps such as those described in co-pending patent application "Redundant Flat Lamp System", serial number 10/698,770, filed on October 31, 2003 and assigned to Honeywell International Inc.